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The County of Los Angeles is home to 144 miles of bikeways and numerous areas within the regional network where the County owns property and/or has jurisdictional control, such as along flood control facilities, and these areas are open to public access and are beautified with landscaping which is maintained by the County and its contractors. For example, along the Rio Hondo Bikeway, the public is welcome to access this public path throughout the year, and therefore maintaining public safety and access to emergency services must be of paramount importance.

To ensure that the public is properly safeguarded from harm during landscape maintenance operations on County property and where the County has jurisdictional control, particularly along and adjacent to County bikepaths, bikeways, pedestrian paths and trails, detailed protocols and procedures must be maintained and implemented Countywide to minimize the public's exposure to potential hazards, including bee swarms and similar potentially harmful incidents.

It is appropriate for the Board of Supervisors to instruct the CEO, the Director of Public Works, and County Counsel to report back to the Board within 60 days to respond and to address the aforementioned matter.

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